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[X] Please consider the following submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114:

- ☐ The amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. §1.116 previously filed on
- ☐ The arguments in the Appeal Brief and/or Reply Brief previously filed on
- ☐ The enclosed amendment/reply submitted in response to the Official Action dated
- [X] Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages)
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08A (3 pages, pages 1-3)
- [X] Copies of three (3) references

[X] Also enclosed is:

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- [X] Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Transmittal (2 pages)
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- ☐ Other:

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Multiple dependent claims not previously presented, add \$290.00					
Total Amendment Fee					0
Continued Examination Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) of \$790.00					\$790.00
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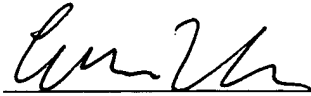
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